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Added Jan. 28 by Maria   
**Proposed Ideas for Program (To be discussed at next Program meeting before we proceed)**   
**Please add your ideas to these suggestions.**

**Confirmed speakers:**

Paula Mirk - Ethics and Social Justice (confirmed) Available G period to talk to GPS students   
Bill Brock - former US Trade Representative, US Labor Secretary, Congressman, Senator, and RNC Chairman.

**Potential speakers:**

Al Gore   
  
Samantha Power (if Mortenson can't come)-Anna Lindh Professor of Practice of Global Leadership and   
Public Policy Carr Center for Human Rights Policy at John F. Kennedy School of Government-Harvard.

**Topics/Threads for Discussion Segments for “Best Practices”**

. **Ethics and Social Justice** (group discussion following Paula Mirk’s presentation)   
Facilitated be Johann Aberger (David Cook contact)   
. **Connecting Globally through Technology** (examples shared) (Offered twice?)   
Facilitator-Randy Stevens, Head of School at St. Timothy’s in Stevenson, Maryland (NAIS 20/20 Project)   
School: 410-486-7401 [www.stt.org](http://www.stt.org/) (Scott Warren contact)   
  
. **Integrating Global Awareness into the Classroom** (Offered twice?)   
(How to connect the “Add-ons” such as speakers, travel, video conference into   
curricular study and genuine classroom experiences)   
Suggested facilitator-Hathaway Brown-Bill Christ, Head of School   
(Bess contact - still in process of contacting)   
  
. **Global Student Experiences** : Networking to make them happen on a shoestring   
(How to network with schools in other countries and organizations that fund travel   
and other experiences)   
Facilitator Karen Roark, Director of Winterim at Harpeth Hall (Maria Matthews contact)   
  
. **Living Life Globally** (Panel of young graduates – college or career) - Maria   
Facilitator - Crystal Kile, Ph.D. , GPS '85, Tulane's Center for Research on Women   
4 to 5 schools represented -- possibilities: Harpeth Hall   
GPS (Elizabeth Wray)   
Castilleja-Palo Alto   
Hutchison-Memphis, etc   
(What secondary school experience inspired them to seek out program/live in other countries; How did they network?)   
  
. **International Connections: Girls to Girls** (Skype or posible Video Conference Presentation)   
(How NCGS members can work together to enhance each other’s programs; Those experienced in 20/20)   
Need to plan two or more segments (early morning for Europe and evening after cocktail party for Australia)   
Possible Facilitator: Margaret Broad from St. Margaret’s School in Tappahannock, VA   
(Anne Exum knows her and is willing to call)   
  
**.Nuts and Bolts of Developing a Global Program** (Basic steps)   
Suggested facilitator: GPS-Jessica Good, Dean of Faculty   
  
**.Green and Global go hand-in-hand**   
Possible facilitator: Martha Barss, in charge of the Environmental Sustainability Program at Roland Park (Anne Exum contact - contact made, Martha is still deciding)

Session Topics - Please add to this list. We will discuss how to group these topics at our meeting on Friday (1/23)   
  
**1st Breakout Session:**   
All groups answer the questions – What is Global Education? What are you doing? What does it look like at your school?   
  
  
**Breakout Session by interest:**   
  
Broad Categories: ( need descriptions!)   
Humanitarian/Social/Ethical Concerns   
Curriculum/Classroom   
Environmental Issues   
School Life   
Technology (specific use?)   
  
Pose essential quiestions for each topic?   
  
Note on the topic Humanitarian/Social/Ethical : I wanted to clarify what I think the Ethical component of the broad topic should address. Among the subjects that I'd like to see dealt with are the Universal Declaration of Human Rights, the portrayal and protection of aboriginal peoples, and business ethics and transnational corporations, among other areas. I feel that any school that is "getting it right" in Global Ed will have a dedicated course on these and related areas. Scott   
  
Topics to discuss:   
Ethics and Social Justice   
Green initiatives – what are other schools doing?   
Buy-in & Education about programs at your school   
Teacher Education   
Global Ed in the classroom   
Global Ed starts with the Faculty   
Use of the Arts Globally   
Administrative standpoint   
Keeping a balance between your culture and other cultures   
Funding for Travel – what kind of opportunities are out there for teachers?   
Library – What information sources are available?   
Is Local Education the next Global Education?   
  
**Breakout Session based on Speaker:**   
Another possibility would be to organize the session around topics the speakers present, but need to know what speakers are presenting before we could create these sessions.

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